

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 31, 1949, from the State of Pennsylvania into the State of New York.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** January 24, 1950. Pleas of nolo contendere having been entered, the court fined each defendant \$100.

**15676. Adulteration of cheese. U. S. v. 1 Keg \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 27752. Sample No. 55344-K.)**

**LABEL FILED:** On or about October 28, 1949, District of Kansas.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 20, 1949, by Angelo Manos, Trinchera, Colo.

**PRODUCT:** 1 85-pound keg of cheese at Kansas City, Kans.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent hairs and dirt.

**DISPOSITION:** January 9, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

#### MISCELLANEOUS DAIRY PRODUCT

**15677. Adulteration of ice cream. U. S. v. Harold D. Myers (Alamosa Creamery Co.). Plea of guilty. Sentence of 30 days in jail and fine of \$500. Jail sentence subsequently modified. (F. D. C. No. 26744. Sample Nos. 49518-K to 49520-K, incl., 49523-K.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** October 3, 1949, District of Colorado, against Harold D. Myers, trading as the Alamosa Creamery Co., Alamosa, Colo.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about April 23 and 28, 1949, from the State of Colorado into the State of New Mexico.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Portion) "Myers Sweet Cream Vanilla Ice Cream."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** On December 2, 1949, a plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$500 and sentenced the defendant to serve 30 days in jail. On December 13, 1949, the court entered an order modifying the judgment of December 2, 1949, so as to release the defendant from custody.

#### EGGS\*

**15678. Misbranding of frozen liquid whole eggs. U. S. v. Independent Food Products Co., Inc., et al. Pleas of guilty by Independent Food Products Co., Inc., and Israel Rosenbaum; pleas of not guilty by Sam Rosenbaum and Sidney Weissman. Independent Food Products Co., Inc., fined \$500; Israel Rosenbaum fined \$100. Actions dismissed as to Sam Rosen-**

\*See also No. 15673.

**baum and Sidney Weissman.** (F. D. C. No. 21447. Sample Nos. 8097-H, 8761-H.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** February 3, 1947, District of New Jersey, against Independent Food Products Co., Inc., Newark, N. J., Israel Rosenbaum and Sam Rosenbaum, president and treasurer, respectively, of the corporation, and Sidney Weissman, plant manager.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the product failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for frozen whole eggs in that it was not the food prepared by freezing liquid eggs as defined and identified in the regulations since it contained added water and yellow coal-tar color.

**DISPOSITION:** On February 13, 1948, pleas of not guilty previously entered on behalf of Independent Food Products Co., Inc., and Israel Rosenbaum having been withdrawn and pleas of guilty entered, the court fined the former \$500 and the latter \$100. Pleas of not guilty having been entered by the remaining two defendants, the action was dismissed as to Sam Rosenbaum on February 13, 1948, and was dismissed as to Sidney Weissman on January 30, 1950.

**15679. Adulteration of frozen egg whites and yolks. U. S. v. Mrs. Yetta Weiner (Iowa Egg Co.).** Plea of guilty. Fine of \$250 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 27523. Sample No. 60404-K.)

**INDICTMENT RETURNED:** November 17, 1949, Southern District of Iowa, against Mrs. Yetta Weiner, trading as the Iowa Egg Co., Des Moines, Iowa.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 7, 1949, from the State of Iowa into the State of Illinois.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Frozen Whites & Yolks \* \* \* Packed By Iowa Egg Company Des Moines, Iowa."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed eggs.

**DISPOSITION:** November 25, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$250 and costs.

## FISH AND SHELLFISH

**15680. Adulteration of canned sardines. U. S. v. American Trading Co. of San Francisco.** Plea of guilty. Fine, \$300. (F. D. C. No. 27509. Sample Nos. 40603-K, 40604-K, 40606-K.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** August 30, 1949, Southern District of California, against the American Trading Co. of San Francisco, a corporation, doing business at Los Angeles, Calif.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 9, 1948, from the State of California into the State of Oregon.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Marine Bowl Brand California Sardines in Tomato Sauce Packed By American Seafood Products Co. Wilmington, Calif." and "Guadalupe Brand California Sardines Packed for American Trading Company of California San Francisco Calif."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed sardines.

**DISPOSITION:** November 21, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$300.